

# The American Legion

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OFFICE OF THE  
NATIONAL ADJUTANT

June 22, 1976

Lt. General Vernon A. Walters, USA  
Deputy Director of Central Intelligence  
Washington, D. C. 20505

Dear General Walters:

We are most happy you can accept our invitation to address our National Executive Committee on Wednesday, October 6. Since you are arriving by automobile, I would suggest that you check in to the Indianapolis Athletic Club where we will have suitable accommodations for you for that day and overnight during your stay in Indianapolis. We will have you pre-registered and if you have other people with you we will have sufficient accommodations to take care of them. My Indianapolis telephone number is 635-8411 and I will be staying at the Indy Inn and the telephone number is 639-4501.

We all certainly look forward to seeing you and if there is anything we can do to make your visit more comfortable, please do not hesitate to have someone call here at my Washington Office. The telephone number is 393-4811.

Sincerely yours,

*Wm F. Hauck*

WILLIAM F. HAUCK  
National Adjutant

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May 28, 1976

Lt. General Vernon A. Walters  
Deputy Director  
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Washington, D. C. 20505

Dear General Walters:

It is my pleasure to invite you to address the National Executive Committee of The American Legion in Indianapolis, Indiana, the evening of October 6 at the Indianapolis Athletic Club. It is estimated that 400 or 500 people will be in attendance.

The National Executive Committee is the governing body of The American Legion, composed of one principle and one alternate from each of our fifty-eight departments representing all of the states, District of Columbia, Puerto Rico and six foreign countries. They are the only group improvised to rule on policy matters affecting our Organization outside of the National Convention.

The National Executive Committee has had an unbroken record of support for an effective intelligence service and I am sure you will find them a most interested audience. I am enclosing copy of two resolutions adopted at its Spring meeting in which you might be interested.

The American Legion will reimburse you for expenses and suitable accommodations will be made for you at the Indianapolis Athletic Club. As soon as the details of your schedule are available if you will give them to me we will have a member of our Distinguished Guest Committee meet you upon your arrival in Indianapolis.

We all look forward to the pleasure of having you with us in October.

Sincerely yours,

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WASHINGTON, D. C.

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15 June 1976

Dear Mr. Hauck:

Many thanks for your letter of 28 May inviting me to address the National Executive Committee of The American Legion in Indianapolis on October 6th. I am happy to be able to accept and look forward to being there. I am most grateful to The American Legion for their continued support of Intelligence which is essential if the United States is to survive as a free nation.

I will probably arrive by car on the morning of the 6th of October and will get in touch with you when I get there. I will be happy to answer questions after my talk, but I prefer to avoid formal press conferences. Please let me know where I can reach you in Indianapolis.

With every good wish,

Faithfully,

[Redacted Signature]

Vernon A. Walters  
Lieutenant General, USA

Mr. William F. Hauck  
National Adjutant  
1608 K Street, N.W.  
Washington, D. C. 20006

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*Note  
Thank you, doing  
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glad to answer questions  
grateful for this support  
in intelligence which is  
essential of US is to  
determine our future  
I will write you  
by return  
Do - love  
when I  
get there  
my thanks  
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